

**NCDOT TO HOLD PUBLIC MEETING
FOR THE PROPOSED IMPROVEMENTS ON U.S. 601 (ROCKFORD STREET)
FROM THE SOUTH SIDE OF U.S. 52 (SOUTH ANDY GRIFFITH PARKWAY)
TO FORREST DRIVE (S.R. 1365)
SURRY COUNTY**

STIP PROJECT NO. R-5714

The N.C. Department of Transportation will hold a public meeting regarding the proposed project to improve U.S. 601 (Rockford Street) from the south side of U.S. 52 (South Andy Griffith Parkway) to Forrest Drive (S.R. 1365). The meeting will take place on Thursday, November 15 from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. at the Reeves Community Center, Kids Club Room located at 113 South Renfro Street in Mount Airy.

Since the last public meeting in March, the project team has continued to refine the designs to add more detail and incorporate comments from the public where feasible. The purpose of this project is to address safety issues on the corridor.

The public may drop-in at any time during the meeting hours. NCDOT representatives will be available to answer questions and listen to comments regarding the project. The opportunity to submit comments will also be provided at the meeting or via phone, email, or mail by November 30, 2018. Comments received will be taken into consideration as the project develops. Please note that no formal presentation will be made.

Project information and materials can be viewed as they become available online at <https://www.ncdot.gov/news/public-meetings>.

For additional information, contact Desiree Hagwood, NCDOT Division 11 Design Engineer, at P.O. Box 250 North Wilkesboro, NC 28659, 336-903-9135 or, dlhagwood@ncdot.gov.

NCDOT will provide auxiliary aids and services under the Americans with Disabilities Act for disabled persons who wish to participate in this meeting. Anyone requiring special services should contact Samantha Borges, Environmental Analysis Unit at 919-707-6115 or smborges@ncdot.gov as early as possible so that arrangements can be made.

Persons who do not speak English, or have a limited ability to read, speak or understand English, may receive interpretive services upon request prior to the meeting by calling 1-800-481-6494.

Aquellas personas que no hablan inglés o tienen limitaciones para leer, hablar o entender inglés, podían recibir servicios de interpretación si los solicitan antes de la reunión llamando al 1-800-481-6494.